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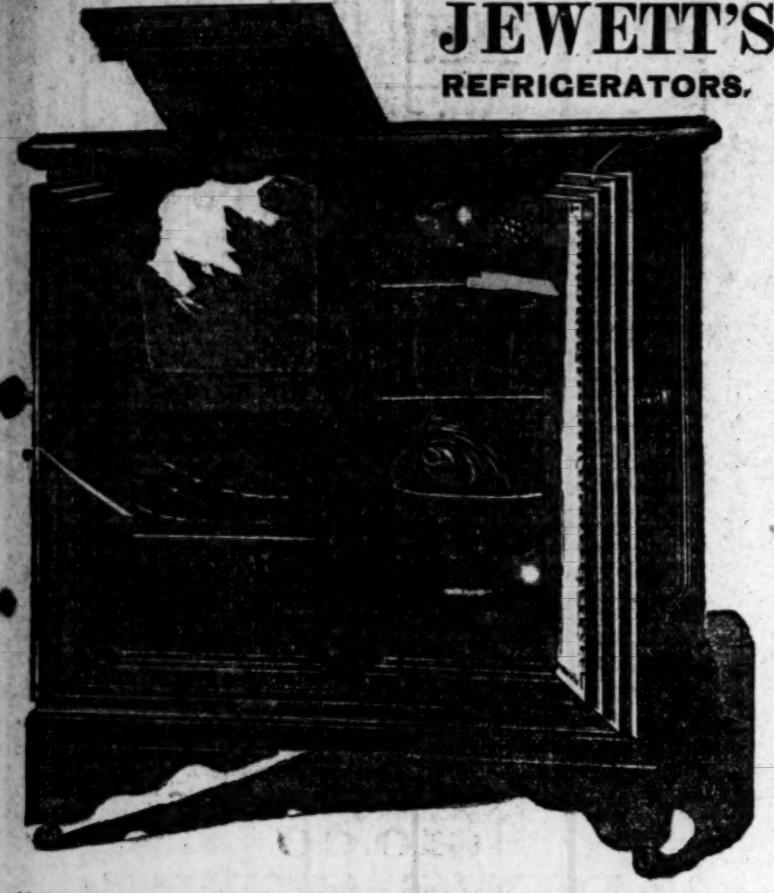
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A sign of shittiness Enoch Arden;
And feel my cheek with hot shame burn
At the thought of what I have done;
No Philip Lee is here to boast
That I have been a good son;
I walk in flesh and am no place has taken;
Although my wife was long forsaken.

"Yet fate has had a lot for that;
A coward stayed not to meet her;
To live alone is not one kiss,
With a hand to help her to press her;

"Twin babies, too—so like us both;
And would have shamed a stony image;

"And still I have not the face to meet her;
To get killed somehow in a scrimmage.

"Yet fate was kind or unkind—what?

"I have a wife, and a son, and a daughter;

"I find her well off—almost rich,

"But she is a widow, and a mother;

"For 'em, she says. "The Lord was kind,

"He never left me to my sorrow;

"To His love I have given up my soul;

"Folks trust the Lord not for to-morrow.

"Wicked! I saw it to my sight,

"And others fell, too—what his sickle,

"And had only got to see it, too;

"And others fell, too—what my need;

"My little home I furnished neatly;

"And others fell, too—what my need;

"His weekly plan saved me completely..."

"Ah, woman! Woman! To what do we owe
The world? To the man who has the power to make
men work to with stout heart, seeing how his
man's noble strength has been rewarded, and all is
well with the world?—and others with 177½ tons
of manly payment with them."

(Trade paper.)

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JOHN N. EDWARDS DEAD.

THE WELL-KNOWN MISSOURIAN STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

His Sudden Death a Shock to All His Friends—A Sketch of His Active and Varied Career—His Connection With Journalism—The Friend of the James Boys.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 4.—The people of the city were shocked this morning on hearing the news of the sudden and unexpected death of Maj. John N. Edwards of the Kansas City Times, which occurred at the McCarty House at about 10 o'clock from a stroke of paralysis. He had been confined to his room for a few days, but was improving, and had just enough strength to be up and about. His wife and family were present. The Major had been in the city for some time looking after the live stock inspection bill, the passage of which he fought strenuously.

Biography of Maj. John N. Edwards.

Maj. John N. Edwards was one of the best known men in the State, one of the best hearted of men and one of the queerest combinations of likes and dislikes that have ever been known. At the breaking out of the war he was the editor of the Lexington *Examiner*. He went into the Confederate Army and was a Major on the staff of Gen. Shelby, and when he wrote a history of Shelby and his forces and then came to St. Louis where he assumed the position of editor of the *Missouri Republican* as a writer. He then became interested in John C. Moore in the Kansas City *Times* and his connection with that paper continued for some years, but he returned to St. Louis eventually and became the editor of the *Times* when Sutton Hutton, editor of the *Times*, went to the *Evening Dispatch*. He left the *Dispatch*, however, and took charge of the *Sunday School Convention*, which he conducted with great success. He then became the editor of that paper until a similar position on the *St. Joseph Gazette* was offered him and he accepted it. Two years ago he left the *Gazette* and went back to the Kansas City *Times*, and he has been editor of that paper ever since. He was a brilliant and forcible writer and was well acquainted with the politics of Missouri, his native State, as almost every other man in St. Louis. He was kindly, other man's heart was larger than his, but he always willingly gave whatever he had to those who were in need. His charity went out to those who needed it less. The claims of comradeship appealed to him, and thousands and hundreds of old Confederates have received aid from him.

He was a very queer contradictions in his disposition and often became the subject of criticism, but never at the expense of his heart. Men who had no claim to the consideration of a good man, or a man's people could always find a friend in him. He was the friend and apologist of the James boys, and the bloodiest members of the career, yet he always tried to induce them to give up their lawless and become peaceful, law-abiding citizens. John N. Edwards was killed in May, 1865, when he arranged for the surrender of Frank James and by that surrended an end to the existence of the most desperate and of outlaws that have ever cursed the State.

Mothers-In-Law. All kinds of them described in a most interesting manner in to-morrow's *SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH*.

Club Chat.

The Marquette Club held its annual election last week and the following officers were chosen for the coming year: R. C. Keren, President; Julius S. Walsh, First Vice-President; John S. Walsh, Second Vice-President; Dr. J. C. Cheron, Third Vice-President; Joseph W. Hayes, Fourth Vice-President; A. W. Reburn, Secretary; Hanson Raisen, Treasurer; John C. Johnson, J. J. C. Johnson, P. B. Little, Jacob Schaefer, William H. Lee, P. G. Murphy, C. E. Geraldin, F. J. Cuningham, and J. J. C. Johnson.

The proposed boxing contest between the Germania and St. Louis seems to be arousing interest. A member of the Germania said to me: "We are very anxious to see the St. Louis, and I think they could make a team that would be a match of a team, and I may say, though that they don't seem to be very anxious to meet us."

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